

## COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES PROBATION DEPARTMENT

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November 22, 2011

TO:

Mayor Michael D. Antonovich

Supervisor Gloria Molina

Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas Supervisor Zev Yaroslavksy

FROM:

Calvin C. Remington Cal Remington Control Acting Chief Protest

SUBJECT:

CAMP JOHN MUNZ DISTURBANCE

This is to advise your Board of a disturbance that occurred at Camp Munz on Monday, November 21, 2011 at approximately 8:40 p.m. At the time of the incident, head calls were being conducted and the dorm was settling for bed when a fight broke out in the dorm between two minors. During the altercation of the two minors, one minor yelled out "Sur" (fight call for Hispanic Southern gang members). Hispanic minors then ran toward African-American minors and minors in several wings began to fight.

Camp Munz staff, assisted by Camp Mendenhall staff, quickly quelled the incident. No outside law enforcement was required. At the time of the incident, there were 78 minors in the dorm and ten (10) staff on duty with seven (7) staff assigned to dorm supervision.

Minors involved have been examined and cleared by medical staff. As of this time, two (2) minors had injuries consisting of a cut over the eye and a hand injury that required evaluation and treatment at a hospital. One (1) staff reported pain and stiffness to neck and shoulder. For safety, security, and pending investigation, five (5) minors were removed to the Special Housing Unit.

Further investigation is pending and I will apprise the Board of any new information as it becomes available

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c: Honorable Michael Nash, Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court William T Fujioka, Chief Executive Officer Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors Brence Culp, Chief Deputy Chief Executive Officer Andrea Sheridan Ordin, County Counsel Sheila Williams, Public Safety Cluster, CEO Justice Deputies